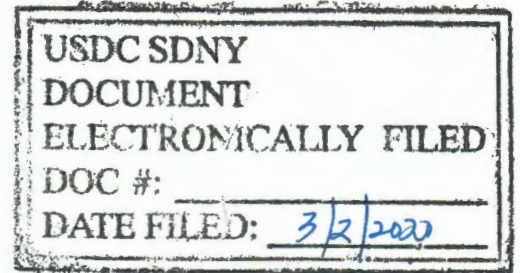


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK



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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

- v. -

JOSE CASTILLO,
a/k/a "Jairo,"

Defendant.

: PRELIMINARY ORDER OF
FORFEITURE/
: MONEY JUDGMENT

: 18 Cr. 879 (SHS)

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WHEREAS, on or about December 12, 2018, JOSE CASTILLO, a/k/a "Jairo," (the "defendant"), among others, was charged in eight counts of a sixteen-count Indictment, 18 Cr. 879 (SHS) (the "Indictment"), with three counts of conspiracy to defraud the United States with respect to claims, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 286 (Counts One through Three); with three counts of conspiracy to commit wire fraud, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 1349 (Counts Four through Six); aggravated identity theft, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 1028A(a)(1), 1028A(b) and 2 (Count Seven); and subscribing to a false return, in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Section 7206(1) (Count Twelve);

WHEREAS, the Indictment included a forfeiture allegation as to Counts Four through Six of the Indictment, seeking forfeiture to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 981(a)(1)(C) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), of any and all property, real and personal, that

constitutes or is derived from proceeds traceable to the commission of the offenses charged in Counts Four through Six of the Indictment, including but not limited to, inter alia, a sum of money in United States representing the amount of proceeds traceable to the commission of the offenses charged in Counts Four through Six of the Indictment;

WHEREAS, on or about September 4, 2019, the defendant pled guilty to Count Six of the Indictment, pursuant to a plea agreement with the Government, wherein the defendant admitted the forfeiture allegation with respect to Count Six of the Indictment and agreed to forfeit, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 981(a)(1)(C) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), a sum of money equal to \$764,000 in United States currency, representing proceeds traceable to the commission of the offense charged in Count Six of the Indictment;

WHEREAS, the Government asserts that \$764,000 in United States currency represents any and all property, real and personal, that constitutes or is derived from proceeds traceable to the commission of the offense charged in Count Six of the Indictment, that the defendant personally obtained;

WHEREAS, the Government seeks a money judgment in the amount of \$764,000 in United States currency, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 981(a)(1)(C) and Title 28, United

States Code, Section 2461(c), of any and all property, real and personal, that constitutes or is derived from proceeds traceable to the commission of the offense charged in Count Six of the Indictment; and

WHEREAS, the Court finds that as a result of acts and/or omissions of the defendant, the proceeds traceable to the offense charged in Count Six of the Indictment that the defendant personally obtained cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED THAT:

1. As a result of the offense charged in Count Six of the Indictment, to which the defendant pled guilty, a money judgment in the amount of \$764,000 in United States currency (the "Money Judgment"), representing the amount of proceeds traceable to the offense charged in Count Six of the Indictment that the defendant personally obtained, shall be entered against the defendant.

2. Pursuant to Rule 32.2(b)(4) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, this Preliminary Order of Forfeiture/Money Judgment is final as to the defendant, JOSE CASTILLO, and shall be deemed part of the sentence of the defendant, and shall be included in the judgment of conviction therewith.

3. All payments on the outstanding money judgment shall be made by postal money order, bank or certified check, made payable, in this instance, to the "United States Department of Treasury," and delivered by mail to the United States Attorney's Office, Southern District of New York, Attn: Money Laundering and Transnational Criminal Enterprises Unit, One St. Andrew's Plaza, New York, New York 10007 and shall indicate the defendant's name and case number.

4. The United States Department of Treasury or its designee shall be authorized to deposit the payment on the Money Judgment in the Treasury Assets Forfeiture Fund, and the United States shall have clear title to such forfeited property.

5. Pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853(p), the United States is authorized to seek forfeiture of substitute assets of the defendant up to the uncollected amount of the Money Judgment.

6. Pursuant to Rule 32.2(b)(3) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, the United States Attorney's Office is authorized to conduct any discovery needed to identify, locate or dispose of forfeitable property, including depositions, interrogatories, requests for production of documents and the issuance of subpoenas.

7. The Court shall retain jurisdiction to enforce this Preliminary Order of Forfeiture/Money Judgment, and to amend it as

necessary, pursuant to Rule 32.2 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure.

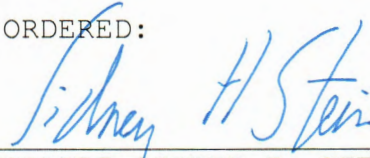
8. The Clerk of the Court shall forward three certified copies of this Preliminary Order of Forfeiture/Money Judgment to Assistant United States Attorney Alexander J. Wilson, Co-Chief of the Money Laundering and Transnational Criminal Enterprises Unit, United States Attorney's Office, One St. Andrew's Plaza, New York, New York 10007.

Dated: New York, New York

~~February~~, 2020

March 2,

SO ORDERED:



HONORABLE SIDNEY H. STEIN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE